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## THE CHURCHES

### METHODIST

The Methodist Harvest Festival Service will be held on Sunday evening, Oct 29, at 7.30, when the Rev J Place will preach. Special Harvest Hymns and music. The Harvest Home Supper will take place on the following Friday, Nov 3rd, to be followed by a Concert in McCue's hall. Fuller particulars will be announced next week.

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Creek at 3 p.m., Red Lodge at 11.30, Bowden at 7.30. Subject, "Use and Abuse of the Sabbath." The members of the Woody Concert Co will sing. You are cordially invited to attend.

Rev F D Campbell B.D., travelling secretary for the Alberta Auxiliary of the British and Foreign Bible Society, gave a talk in the Presbyterian Church last night on the work of the Auxiliary. The officers for the current year were elected. It was agreed to try and raise the amount which was given last year.

Miss Hyslop, the organizing secretary of the Alberta W.C.T.U. will speak on Sunday at Red Lodge 11.30, Eagle Creek 3 p.m., Bowden 7.30. She is touring the country in the interests of the Local Option Campaign. Don't fail to hear her.

### Boy Scouts

All boy scouts are ordered to meet at the hall at 6.30 sharp on Friday.

Each boy scout received part of the scout uniform on Saturday last, which consisted of a shirt, hat, and belt. We hope to be able to obtain the complete outfit in the near future, and trust that our friends will help us by attending the Boy Scout Concert on Friday night.

### Nisbet

A Harvest Festival Service will be held in Nisbet Schoolhouse on Sunday morning, Oct 29. Rev J Place will preach. Mrs Davies, Miss Jessie Shenfield, Mr Hunter, and other friends will also assist with music. All are welcome.

Mr G Christie and wife returned from a visit with friends in Lacombe and Chigwell Wednesday evening.

Mr W R S Clark, machinist for the Brunswick-Balk Bowling Alley Co of Chicago arrived in town on Monday evening to install the new alleys purchased recently by Mr T Ryley of the Pacific Poolroom. Mr Clark commenced work on the alleys Tuesday morning and hopes to have them ready for use in about three weeks.

## Local News

### Boy Scouts Concert and Dance in McCue's Hall To- night, 7:30

Tooth brushes, all prices, Perrins BORN—To Mr and Mrs M L Leech, on Tuesday Oct 17th, a son Indelible pencils, Perrin's Drug Store.

Mr E L Thompson was a Calgary visitor Wednesday on business.

Dr H P Kenny made a business trip to Bowden Tuesday.

Mr J Payne of Castor called on his brother, Mr C H Payne this week.

Fine stationery at Perrin's Drug Store.

Methodist Services will be held this Sunday, Lone Pine 11.30, Bowden 3.00.

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Mr J I Brewster of Calgary is in town to-day.

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Mr and Mrs Chas Gilroy of Chicago were the guests for a few days last week of Dr and Mrs A E Shore.

Fresh cake, doughnuts and cookies on Saturday at 'The Cash Store.'

Mr R Begg and C H Payne are buying stock this week for shipment to B.C.

Don't fail to hear the members of the Woody Concert Company sing in the Presbyterian Church, Sunday evening at 7.30.

Mr John Arnold will shortly open a jewelry store and watch repairing establishment in the building next to McDermott's hardware shop.

Mrs J Angier of Storm Lake, Iowa, Miss Genieve Hinde of Early, Iowa, and Mr S Rutledge, are visiting Mr and Mrs W W Rutledge, this week.

The Directors of the Agricultural Society will meet on Saturday the 28th inst in McCue's hall at 2 p.m. for the purpose of settling up the fair accounts, prizes, etc. All directors are requested to attend.

Messrs H Armitstead, H Dodge, and H McKim have established bachelor's quarters in the house formerly occupied by Dr A E Shore, on Shenfield St. The abode will in future be known as "Trinity Lodge."

Last week Dr A E Shore successfully performed two operations in the Red Deer Hospital. Mrs Andrew Anderson of Mayton received treatment for a cancer and her condition now shows a marked improvement. Vernon Craig also was operated on for appendicitis.

A very pretty wedding was solemnized on Thursday Oct 5, at Willow Lodge, the home of Mr and Mrs T C Heine of Aberdeen, when their daughter, Miss Vera Scarf, was united in marriage to Mr Albert J Crack.

Mr John Bernard, Mr Leslie Bernard and wife, and Mr and Mrs G Christie, attended the funeral in Lacombe of the late E MacLeod, baggage master, who was killed in the explosion which wrecked the C P R Station last Thursday evening. The funeral was held on Sunday, the fire brigade, of which Mr MacLeod was a member, turning out in full force. The funeral was one of the most largely attended ever held in Lacombe. Sunday evening Mr John Bernard, uncle of Mr MacLeod, left with the remains for Mr MacLeod's old home in Prince Edward Island, where he will be interred.

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#### Hints For Travellers

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When a long journey of some days is taken, a man will frequently find that he can serve in many little ways a woman or women who are travelling alone. This is perfectly proper if it is done with dignity. But during a run of a few hours it is not permissible for a man to try to make the acquaintance of any woman travelling alone, no matter how much he may wish to help her in various ways.

A well bred traveller will never push or shove a way into a car, but will enter quietly, following those who are ahead in the line of people who are waiting. In a car that is only partially filled it is permissible to deposit one's belongings in an empty seat, but as the train fills up one should not be so inconsiderate as to occupy a seat in this way.

#### IN DREAD OF PILES

Many Believe That Nothing Short of the Surgeon's Knife Will Effect Cure. They Do Not Know

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Let me see the midnight sky  
Stand back, sisters, from around me;  
Ah, it is so hard to die!  
Raise my pillow, will you, Martha?  
Sister Martha—you were kind,  
Come and sit alone beside me,  
Ere I leave you all behind.

Hold my hand, so cold and frozen;  
Once it was so soft and white;  
And this ring that falls down from it—  
Little ring they thought so worthless,  
that they let me keep it there—  
Only a plain golden circlet,  
With a braid of Douglas' hair.

Sister Martha, are you near me?  
You were kinder than the rest;  
Lift my head, and let me lean it,  
While I lie, upon your breast.  
I was thinking of some music,  
That I heard—long, long ago;  
Sweetly now the nuns are singing  
In the chapel, soft and low.

Oh, my father, oh, my mother!  
Will you not forgive the past.  
When you hear a stranger telling  
How your stray lamb died at last?  
Out of all who used to love me.  
Who will weep when I am dead?  
Only you, oh, Sister Martha!  
Keep the last watch round my bed.

But a strain of heavenly music  
Drowns the holy midnight hymn,  
Still I hear the old waltz pealing,  
And I float away with him.  
I am coming, Douglas, Douglas,  
Where you are I, too, am there,  
Freed at last, I come, my dearest—  
Death gives back your little Clare.

Sister Martha, Sister Martha,  
Has the moon gone down so soon?  
Oh, the cell seems cold as winter,  
Though I know that it is June.  
Sisters, in your white beds lying,  
Sleeping in the June moonlight,  
Through your dreams comes there no  
message?

Clara dies alone tonight.



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## Veto in Hartney

Inserted as an advertisement by the local branch of Moral Reform League

Concluded from Last Week

### A convert to Veto

Councillor A. Fry, of Hartney, said:

"I have always worked against Veto and thought we would be better off with a license and I shall still think that about the old law, but the new law has certainly made a clean sweep in the liquor business in Hartney and Cameron. The bitterest enemies of the old law are among the staunchest friends of the new law. I am a liberal and voted against the present government, but I want to be honest, and I am compelled to say that Veto is a success under the new amendments. I do not believe ten voters could be found to vote against it, if it was up for a vote."

### An Editor's Criticism

The foregoing statements were submitted for criticism to the editor of the Hartney Star, Mr. Walpole Murdoch. He says:

"We believe all the statements in this tract are correct in every particular, but the paragraph regarding the declaration of Councillor Fry, who is a convert to Veto under the new law, could be made more forceful by making the fact known that Mr. Fry has this summer erected and opened a large new brick store where he employs several clerks, and also recently purchased the Avondale Hotel, which he has just enlarged to nearly double its former size and has reopened the place as a first-class temperance house known as the 'Imperial.' It is evident that Mr. Fry does not believe that the business of a town declines with local Veto."

### The Star's Statement

The following is an editorial from the columns of the Hartney Star of October 8, 1909:

"A number of gentlemen, residing in towns that propose taking local option votes have written the Star regarding conditions in Hartney, which for years has been without a licensed bar, and the suggestion has been made that perhaps this town is not as progressive as it should be, nor its youth as moral and intellectual as are the young men and women in other towns where the license system has been in force. We print our reply to these communications.

### An Interesting Reply

"There has been little or no intoxicating liquor consumed in Hartney since the amendment to the liquor license act. Drunken men are never seen upon the streets nor elsewhere in the town. There are no fights, no rowdyism, and no blasphemy. Visitors to the place are excellently accommodated by two temperance hotels which are as clean and home-like as private residences, and where men forget their troubles without a glass, but where there is good cheer and no

extra charge for adopting the bright ideas of companions. Business is good; there are no empty stores in the town. In fact, few towns have as up-to-date stores as Hartney possesses, or as refined, business-like and obliging managers and clerks. No one ever 'paints the town red.' Noses are not red, but books are.

### Improved Moral Atmosphere

"If immoral characters visit the place occasionally they get so lonely that they leave on the next train to run the town down and declare that the young men are slow. Hartney business men stand for morality, for useful work, for innocent and healthful recreation, for justice, kindness and humanity. Hartney can afford to be generous, and is always generous when generosity can be considered a blessing. Hartney people do not believe that intoxicating liquor sold or given away brightens the people, brightens the prospects or helps anyone in any way—not even the man who makes a profit on the sales but who is usually lacking in those qualities of mind and heart which cannot be counter-balanced by any wealth. Hartney young men and young women stand well to the front in music, art and literature. The young men are seldom behind in athletic sports.

### A Season for Change

The Hartney Star was not always friendly to Veto, and some of its contemporaries twitted it about changing front. This is its rejoinder:

"Yes, the Star is 'bold now' in stating its temperance principles. Some have said it was not always so bold, and this is quite true, because under the old law there was a doubt about the advantages of local veto; under the amended act there is no doubt. There is not a business man nor a business woman in Hartney who would mark a ballot to repeal local option if they had the chance to do so."

### Not a Vote Against Veto

"This town is just now being pointed at from a great many places as an evidence that Veto does not injure a town, but under the amended act really benefits a place. During the past half-dozen years there has not been a single failure in business in Hartney and no assignment has been made. There are more stores in Hartney than ever before and better stores. There are as many hotels, and larger and better hotels than at any time in the past, many of the improvements having been added this season. The homes of the people are generally good. There are no really poor people in the place, and no town is surrounded by farmers who are more progressive or have finer residences and barns."

### A Voice From Neepawa

The Neepawa Press, which was also opposed to Veto, at one time says:

"The best argument the Veto advocates have in this province is furnished by Hartney. That town appears to be prosperous and the people satisfied. Its well-conducted paper contains the advertising of all the business men. Even the hotels announce their Sunday menus."

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There was a young lady named Ginter, who married a man in winter; The man's name was Wood, And now, as they should, The Woods have a cute little splinter.

## THE FOUR FINGERS

By FRED M. WHITE,

Author of

The Crimson Blind; The Cardinal Moth; The Weight of the Crown; The Corner House; The Slaves of Silence; Craven Fortune; The Fatal Dose; Netta.

(Continued.)

Venner was emphatically of the same view; personally, he was exceedingly glad to think that the knot had been cut in this fashion and that the unpleasant business was ended. He discussed the matter thoughtfully with Gurdon as he and the latter walked in the direction of his rooms, for he had refused to spend the night at Merton Grange, though Vera, of necessity, had arranged to stay there. "I suppose one ought to be thankful," he said, "that matters are no worse. Still, at the same time, I must confess that I should like to have a few words with Zary. I wonder if we could get him to take us back to Mexico with a view to exploring the Four Finger Mine. After all said and done, it seems a pity that that rich treasure-house should be lost to the world."

"Better leave it alone," Gurdon said. "It makes me creep when I think of it. All the same, I am with you in one thing. I should certainly like to see Zary again."

Gurdon and his companion were destined to have their wish gratified sooner than they had expected. They let themselves into the farmhouse where they were staying, and Venner turned up the lamp in the big rambling sitting-room. There, half asleep in a chair before the fire, sat the very man whom they had been discussing. He appeared to be heavy with sleep—his melancholy eyes opened slowly as he turned to the newcomers.

"You have been thinking about me," he said—"you have been wondering what had become of me. We are strangers, and yet we are not strangers. Mr. Venner is known to me, and Mr. Venner's wife also. I was aware that my dear young mistress was his wife when it was still a secret to everybody else. You are puzzled and mystified over the death of Mark Fenwick. Mr. Gurdon has been reading an account to you from a newspaper."

"You are certainly a very remarkable man," Gurdon said. "As a matter of fact, that is exactly what I have been doing. But tell me, Zary, how did you know?"

"You have a great poet," Zary said, calmly and deliberately. "He was one of the noblest philosophers of his time. I have read him; I hope to read him again many times. His name is more things in heaven and earth than are dreamt of in our philosophy. Gentlemen, that is so, as you would know if you possessed the powers that I do. But I could not explain—you would not understand, for your minds are different from mine. I am going away; I shall never see my dear friends again—for the last time we have met. And, because I could not endure a formal parting, I have come to you to give them all a message from me. It is only this, that I shall never cease to think of them whenever I may be—but I need not dwell upon that. As to Fenwick, I did not design that he should die so peaceful a death. I had gauged his mind incorrectly; I had goaded him into a pitch of terror which drove him over the borderland and destroyed his reason. Therefore, he committed suicide, and so he is finished with."

There was a pause for some time, until it became evident that Zary had no more to say. He rose to his feet, and was advancing in the direction of the door, when Gurdon stopped him.

"Pardon me," the latter said, "but like most ordinary men, I am by no means devoid of my fair share of curiosity. What is going to be done in the matter of the Four Finger Mine?"

Zary's large round eyes seemed to emit flashes of light. His face had grown hard and white like that of a statue.

"Well," he demanded, "what about the mine?"

"Why, you see, it practically belongs to Mr. Le Fen's children," Gurdon said. "In which case it should prove an exceedingly valuable property."

"The mine belongs to us; it belongs to me," Zary cried. "I am the last of my tribe, and the secret shall die with me. Man, do you suppose that happiness lies in the mere accumulation of money? I tell you that the thing is a curse, one of the greatest curses that ever God laid on humanity. To hundreds and thousands of us this life of ours on earth is a veritable hell through the greed of gold. Of all the wars that have brought pain and suffering to humanity, none has done a tithe of the harm wrought by the incessant battle for the yellow metal which you call gold. If there had been no such thing on earth, the tribe to which I belong would today walk as gods amongst ordinary men. No, I shall do nothing to pander to this disease. When I die the secret of the mine perishes with me. Never more shall man work there, so long as I have health and strength to prevent it."

The latter part of Zary's speech had sunk almost to a whisper; he

made a profound bow to Venner and Gurdon, then left the room softly. He seemed to vanish almost like a spirit of one of his departed ancestors, and the place knew him no more. From that day he was never seen again.

"Curious man," Gurdon said, thoughtfully. "Very quiet and gentle as a rule, but not the kind of person you would care to have as a foe. I have a very strong feeling that none of us will ever see Felis Zary again. Now, don't you think we can begin to forget all about this kind of thing? Surely, we have had enough horrors and mysteries, and I can only wonder at the way in which those girls have borne up against all their troubles. Tell me, what are you going to do? I mean as to your future?"

"Upon my word, I really haven't given it a thought," Venner said. "It is not very often that a man has the unique experience of being married three years without a honeymoon, and without more than half an hour in his wife's company. You can but feebly guess, my dear fellow, how terribly I have suffered during the time to which I refer. Still, I trusted my wife implicitly, though all the dictates of common sense were against me, and I am sincerely and heartily glad now that I took the line I did. As soon as possible, I intend to take Vera away for a long tour on the Continent. When I come back I shall have the old house done up again, and, I suppose, settle down to the life of a country gentleman. But, of course, I can't do anything till Beth's future is settled. I suppose, for the present, she will go back again to Le Fen's doctor friends, pending her marriage with Charles Evors."

"The programme is all right," Gurdon said. "But suppose Lord Merton objects to the arrangement?"

"I don't fancy that he will do that from what I hear," Venner said. "All the Evors have been wild in their youth, and the present lord is no exception to the rule. Depend upon it, he will be very glad to have his son back again, happily married, and eager to become domesticated. Besides, from what I understand from Vera, her father worked the Four Finger Mine to considerable advantage during his lifetime, and Beth is something quite considerable in the way of an heiress. On the whole, I am not disposed to worry. Now, let us have one quiet cigar, and then go to bed like a pair of average respectable citizens."

"You have been thinking about me," he said—"you have been wondering what had become of me. We are strangers, and yet we are not strangers. Mr. Venner is known to me, and Mr. Venner's wife also. I was aware that my dear young mistress was his wife when it was still a secret to everybody else. You are puzzled and mystified over the death of Mark Fenwick. Mr. Gurdon has been reading an account to you from a newspaper."

"You are certainly a very remarkable man," Gurdon said. "As a matter of fact, that is exactly what I have been doing. But tell me, Zary, how did you know?"

"You have a great poet," Zary said, calmly and deliberately. "He was one of the noblest philosophers of his time. I have read him; I hope to read him again many times. His name is more things in heaven and earth than are dreamt of in our philosophy. Gentlemen, that is so, as you would know if you possessed the powers that I do. But I could not explain—you would not understand, for your minds are different from mine. I am going away; I shall never see my dear friends again—for the last time we have met. And, because I could not endure a formal parting, I have come to you to give them all a message from me. It is only this, that I shall never cease to think of them whenever I may be—but I need not dwell upon that. As to Fenwick, I did not design that he should die so peaceful a death. I had gauged his mind incorrectly; I had goaded him into a pitch of terror which drove him over the borderland and destroyed his reason. Therefore, he committed suicide, and so he is finished with."

There was a pause for some time, until it became evident that Zary had no more to say. He rose to his feet, and was advancing in the direction of the door, when Gurdon stopped him.

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## LAND SHOW IN CALGARY

## SOMETHING NEW IN THE SHOW LINE IN CANADA

First of the Kind in Canada and Will Be a Booster—Big Advertisement for Whole West—Unique Features and Lectures on Subjects of Vital Interest—No Expense Will Be Spared to Make Show a Success.

Calgary.—What promises to be the biggest advertising feature ever held in connection with this thriving and rapidly growing city will be the land show which will take place at Sherman's rink from Saturday, November 11th to the following Saturday, November 18th.

Canada has never had a land show. Calgary's distinction in being chosen as the city for the first land show to be given in the Dominion is therefore a unique and particularly creditable one and further emphasizes that Calgary is the queen city of the west, and one of the best known and most promising of the whole Dominion.

In the United States land shows have been held at the larger centres and have proven to be a most useful means of giving those places a wide and desirable publicity—a publicity of a comprehensive and result bringing character for the resources of the cities and surrounding territory were placed before thousands of people in a concrete and convincing way.

The value of a land show to advertise Calgary and the province of Alberta has so strongly appealed to leading citizens that many of the most prominent Calgarians have taken an enthusiastic interest in the event. Mr. A. D. Connors is the president of the organization and the technical features of the exhibit will be looked after by experienced and successful specialists in this form of publicity.

The show will open with a big street parade on the first evening of the exhibit. Mayor Mitchell will formally open the show. Other prominent citizens of Calgary and the province will lend a hand to start the ball a-rolling under distinguished auspices.

The band of the 103rd regiment will head the parade and will be at the rink on every afternoon and evening of the show.

The exhibits will embrace farm property products, photography, real estate booths, plans of houses, model dwellings, etc., and addresses on finance, political economy, and kindred subjects of interest to a live and progressive people will be given by well-known lecturers.

When seen recently Mr. Connors, the president, said no expense will be spared to make the show a success and credit to Calgary.

"In projecting the Calgary Land Show and Home Building Exhibit," he said, "we have followed closely the plans that have gone to make similar shows in Chicago, St. Louis, Cleveland, and other cities in the States successes.

"There will be nothing of an undignified nature connected with the exhibition, all plans and schemes sometimes employed in such enterprises finding no favor in our arrangements. We have invited a number of men prominent in Canadian life to attend and while it is too early to make any definite announcement in this connection I think we can safely say several of the leading orators in the Dominion will be on hand.

"We are greatly encouraged with the reception accorded the first announcement of plans and that fact will tempt the management to greater efforts.

"The very fact that Canada has never had a Land Show and Home Building exhibit it all the more reason why Calgary should be first in the field and thus reap the rewards coming to the pioneer in any field of commercial endeavor."

## ALBERTA INDEMNITY INCREASES

## Census Returns Will Show Alberta With 400,000 Population

Edmonton, Alta.—The census figures for Alberta are not yet officially announced, but it is known that the result of this province will be on the verge of the 400,000 population that is necessary to an increased Dominion indemnity of \$200,000 a year for the next five years.

The census returns are made in the form of population for Dominion electoral ridings, of which there are seven in Alberta. The results known up to date are as follows: Macleod riding, 50,000; Lethbridge, 70,000, or to be accurate 70,200; Red Deer, 60,000 or to be accurate 60,100; Strathcona, 50,000; Edmonton, 60,000; Victoria, 46,000. Thus for six of the seven ridings in Alberta the total is within a few hundreds of 336,000 population.

The only riding from which returns are not yet available is that of Calgary. In order to give the province of Alberta the 400,000 population necessary for the increased indemnity, Calgary riding must show 64,000 population.

## Alaska Miners Rescued

Firabanks, Alaska.—The fourteen men who were entombed in the Shakespeare mine on Dome creek have been rescued, none the worse for their confinement of 84 hours. A drill hole, through which they had been provisioned, was enlarged by thawing until it was big enough to permit the body of a man to pass. Then the imprisoned miners were pulled up one after another to the surface of the ground.

## SPLendid CROP ALL OVER WEST

## C. N. R. Report Shows Excellent Yield In Every Part of The West

Calgary.—Cutting is now through in the west and threshing would be well under way if it was not for the wet weather, according to the crop report issued by the Canadian Northern railway.

On the Battleford subdivision the Radisson agent says: "The best crop ever chronicled. Farmers pleasantly surprised at what threshing has revealed. Local farmers will have a yield of 38 1/2 bushels to the acre while the average crop will easily be 40 bushels per acre. This station will market nearly a million bushels and will grade about number 3 Northern. Threshing operations have been materially affected in Manitoba by the wet weather and on the Dauphin subdivision it is only about half finished. The average yield around Plumas will be 20 bushels to the acre, grading No. 2 Northern.

The Vermilion sub-division is backward owing to a snowstorm delaying threshing operations.

Along the main line to Edmonton the weather has been fairly good and threshing is well under way.

The cutting is through, but the indications are that the grade will be low, either No. 3 or 4 Northern.

Letellier on the Ridgeville line shows a good season but the threshing has been held up by poor weather.

Miami reports that 105,000 bushels have so far been shipped and this represents less than half the crop.

Carman reports marketing of grain to be rapid although delayed by wet weather. Sanford has marketed 55,000 bushels, this being about 30 per cent. of the crop.

The estimate at Hartney for the wheat crop of that district is 225,000 bushels.

Threshing is general on the Regina branch. Wheat is yielding 18 to 25 bushels to the acre, grading 3 to 6 Northern.

On the Rosburn line threshing has not yet commenced although cutting is completed. Threshing will start in shortly. The outlook for a large market is good this fall and the wheat promises to grade about 2 to 3 Northern.

At Bowman on the Erwood subdivision wheat will average 30 bushels, oats 35 bushels and barley 40 bushels to the acre.

At Aylesbury on the Saskatoon subdivision the wheat is coming in fast and an average of 40,000 bushels is being marketed daily. At Chamberlain, on the same section oats will run as high as 140 bushels to the acre and will average 60 to 70 bushels.

## MAKING TRAIL SAFE

## No Danger of Duplication of the R. N. W. M. P. Tragedy

Ottawa.—That the terrible tragedy which took place last winter, when Inspector Fitzgerald and three Northwest Mounted Police were frozen to death while transporting mails between Dawson and Fort McPherson, will not be repeated, is the news brought by Major Howard, of the R. N. W. M. P., who was formerly stationed in Dawson, and himself made the same trip several times.

"All along the route there have been stations placed," said Major Howard, "with food for men and food for dogs. There is absolutely no danger of provisions running short with these in between."

Major Howard claimed that the tragedy was caused by the unnecessary risk which Inspector Fitzgerald took when he went on the trip.

"He had done it so often that he probably thought he could do it on his head, but really every time a man makes the trip he takes his life in his hands," he declared.

"One serious oversight the inspector made was in taking no shotgun along with him. If he had had a shotgun, he could have got ptarmigan, which are always plentiful, and perhaps the party would have been enabled to reach safety."

Spokane, Wash., Oct. 4, 1911.

Mr. C. Marker, Dairy Commissioner, Calgary, Alberta.

Dear Sir.—I wish to inform you that the shipment of butter and cheese reached me in good time and in splendid condition, and are of excellent quality—the best I have ever had for exhibition purposes. The cheese particularly is pronounced by hundreds of people as the finest yet.

Yours very truly,  
J. N. GRIEVE,  
Canadian Government Agent.

## Millionaires as Smugglers

New York.—Nathan Allan, a millionaire leather manufacturer of Kenosha, Wis., and John R. Collins, of Memphis, Tenn., organizer of the Southern Coal company, pleaded guilty recently in the United States circuit court to smuggling jewelry into the country and were sentenced, after a plea for clemency, Allan to pay a fine of \$12,000 and Collins \$4,000.

## ITALY OCCUPIES TRIPOLI

## TURKS ARE DRIVEN BACK BEFORE HEAVY CANNONADE

Rumor of Sinking of the Big Battleship Not Confirmed—Complaints Are Made of the Italians Firing on and Sinking a British Boat Under Her Own Flag—Complication with the Powers Possible.

London.—The Italian flag floats over Sultana fort at Tripoli, which is occupied by landing parties.

Part of the fleet is anchored in the harbor and the other warships lie in a short distance from the dismantled fortifications.

A few bodies of Turks have been found among the ruins of the forts and apparently no great number of Turks were killed by the bombardment.

According to a Constantinople report, not yet confirmed, the Italian warship recently bombarded Bengazi and Derna.

Various rumors concerning a naval engagement in Turkish waters, an attack against Mytilene and the blowing up of the Italian battleship Conte di Cavour at Tripoli, have not been confirmed from any quarters.

An interesting report is current from Constantinople that while Germany favors the adoption of the Italian ultimatum as the basis of peace negotiations, Great Britain proposes that Tripoli shall become a privileged tributary to Turkish Vilayet, under joint Turco-Italian administration, thus retaining the suzerainty of the Sultan.

Rome, via Frontier.—General Sangari, the minister of war, speaking of the landing of blue jackets at Tripoli, said:

"This is the first step. We will now be followed by the army, which is anxious to demonstrate that its organization and efficiency are equal to those of the navy, and will stand comparison with first class powers.

Taranto.—Vice-Admiral the Duke of Abruzzi, whose flotilla was in action at Prevesa, arrived here recently. He was given a magnificent reception by the people, who carried him upon their shoulders in triumph.

Rome.—A despatch from Tripoli says the Italians have occupied Sultana fort. The Glornale D'Italia says that detachments of marines have been landed in Tripoli to protect the consulate, the Italian church and hospital.

London.—The Chronicle's Constantinople correspondent says that Italian warships are bombarding Benghazi and Derna, and that the former is vigorously returning the fire.

## PLENTY OF DEEP WATER

## Experience of "The Minto" Shows That Report of Shoal Water at Port Nelson is a Myth

Winnipeg.—Word has just reached Winnipeg from the north that the government steamer Minto arrived safely at Port Nelson on August 11. The Minto's mission into Hudson bay and Port Nelson is for the purpose of preparing an accurate chart of Port Nelson, the informant who was aboard her, stated that she did not anchor outside the harbor some ten miles, as is the usual custom of the Hudson's Bay company's ships, but instead she continued on into the mouth of the Nelson river, well inside of a line between the two beacons.

While she was passing up the harbor her draught was 22 feet and it was also low tide at the time. There was apparently plenty of deep water everywhere about as sounding were taken at intervals of every few hundred yards and at no time was there less than from ten to fifteen feet leeway between her keel and the bottom. This is somewhat of a remarkable happening from the fact that the Minto is the first large steamship that has ever entered the Nelson river at its mouth. Capt. Sam Bartlett was in charge of the ship.

## WOMAN'S NARROW ESCAPE

## Hotel Team Runs Away with Bus But is Stopped

Calgary.—A team of horses hauling the Queen's hotel bus left the Alexandra hotel, where their driver had stopped to pick up a passenger, and dashed furiously up Ninth avenue with Mrs. Wm. Hill of Buffalo Hills as the sole occupant of the vehicle. Despite the efforts of several on the street the horses continued their wild course until they reached the C. P. R. depot, where Patrick McIntyre, of the Imperial Hotel, succeeded in intercepting their progress. Mrs. Hill then alighted little the worse for her experience.

## CATTLE EMBARGO RETAINED

## Foot and Mouth Outbreak Necessitates Action

Ottawa, Ont.—Owing to another serious outbreak of foot and mouth disease in Somersetshire, Eng., the restriction which was removed on the importation from the old country of cattle, sheep and other ruminants and swine from the United Kingdom into Canada has been reimposed. This order will affect a number of Canadian importers, some of whom have been for some time holding animals purchased in Great Britain in the hope of being able to bring them to Canada before the close of the present season.

## MANY NEW BRANCH LINES

## Canadian Pacific Railway Pushing Steel in the West

Settlers coming into Canada next year will have at their service many miles of new railway lines for transportation into new sections of the prairie provinces. In Saskatchewan alone the Canadian Pacific Railway has at present under construction nearly six hundred miles of new branch lines. Hundreds of gangs of laborers and track-layers are at work in various parts of the country, and surveyors are at work mapping out other lines in all parts of the province. As fast as these lines are completed and inspected regular services are being inaugurated, so that when the yearly rush of new settlers to the West starts, next spring, there will be plenty of new territory opened up.

The largest of the new lines in Saskatchewan being built by the C. P. R. is that between Regina and Colonay. This line runs almost directly north from Regina until Craven is reached, when it branches off in a westerly direction to Winnipeg-Edmonton line. It is 133 miles from Colonay to Regina, and on this, the service will shortly be inaugurated between Colonay, and Imperial, a distance of 49.7 miles. South of Imperial track-laying has advanced another twenty-five miles. This line passes through a splendid farming country which will be thickly settled before long.

Another of the new C. P. R. branch lines in Saskatchewan of over a hundred miles in length is that between Outlook and Kerrobert. This is really the middle division of the Moose Jaw-Macklin branch. Services have been operated for some time between Macklin and Kerrobert and Outlook and Moose Jaw, but there are still a number of miles of the middle division to be built. When it is finished the entire branch will be 267 miles long and will eventually form junction with the Lacombe-Castor branch at Kerrobert. This new line will be a great boon to all classes in Saskatchewan for not only will the farmers along the right-of-way benefit, but it will give the towns and cities, in its territory, direct new connection with the main line of the Canadian Pacific.

A third big branch under construction is from Weyburn to Lethbridge. Up to March of this year track on this line had been laid as far as Omega, fifty-two miles from Weyburn. There is now a through service between Weyburn and Omega. On the rest of the line from Omega westward grading was commenced in May of this year and up to last month fifty per cent. of it had been completed up to mile sixty. This line when completed will permit of a new route from Portland, Oregon, to St. Paul, Minneapolis, Chicago, and it will also open up a very fertile country.

From Swift Current there are being built two branches, northwest and southeast. Both of these branches were only started three months ago but on each fifty per cent. of the grading is now completed. The first named branch will give good transportation facilities to the farmers near the South Saskatchewan River.

There are also two branches being built from Wilkie. One of these branches reaches out in a northwesterly direction and the other in a southwesterly direction. On the former, which is 36 miles long there is 75 per cent. of the grading completed, while on the latter out of 52 miles there is 15 per cent. of the grading finished. The Southern branch from Wilkie will be further supplemented by a branch running from Kerrobert, in a northeasterly direction. With these two branches completed, transportation facilities for the farmers in the country through which they pass will be unsurpassed, and they will probably prove a big factor in the inducing of new settlers to locate in that locality. This branch from Kerrobert, northeasterly, will be twenty-five miles long. Up to date eight miles of grading have been completed.

On the Estevan, northwest branch, there are fifty-five miles of new track under construction. This branch connects with the Weyburn-Lethbridge branch at Forward. On Regina-Bulleyea branch, 42 miles, track-laying has been completed and a service will shortly be instituted. On the double-track from Pasqua to Moose Jaw eighty-five per cent. of the grading is completed but no steel has as yet been laid. About equal progress has been made on the double-track between Moose Jaw and Aron.

The other C. P. R. branch in Saskatchewan on which construction work is being done, is between Moose Jaw southwesterly, to mile 35. Grading is going ahead on this branch at a rapid rate.

## Great Sachem Dead

St. Ignace.—Chief Stago the last great sachem of the once powerful Chippewa nation is dead here at the age of 108 years. Once monarch of vast hunting grounds in the straits region, the old warrior died in poverty. The poet Longfellow obtained from Stago much of the material on which he based his epic on Indian life "Hiawatha."

## Coast to Coast Aviator Hurt

Huntingdon, Ind.—Aviator C. P. Rodgers, who fell fifty feet shortly after starting his day's flight recently, will be unable to resume his coast to coast trip by way of Chicago for a few days. His mechanics are replacing the planes and repairing the wheels, which were badly jammed. Rodgers shows no ill effects from the trouble.

## THE SUNDAY SCHOOL

## LESSON III.—FOURTH QUARTER, FOR OCT. 15, 1911

Text of the Lesson, Ezra i, 1-11; ii, 64-70—Memory Verses, i, 3, 4—Golden Text, Mic. vii, 18—Commentary Prepared by Rev. D. M. Stearns.

As we turn to the story of the return from Babylon some words come to mind such as these: "Every purpose of the Lord shall be performed." "Whatsoever the Lord pleased that did He," "He worketh all things after the counsel of His own will" (Jer. ii, 29; Ps. cxxxv, 6; Eph. 6, 11).

Compare the previous chapter, verses 21, 22, and the words of the Lord Jesus in Luke xxiv, 44, "All things must be fulfilled which were written in the law of Moses and in the prophets and in the psalms concerning Me." All the predictions concerning the captivity of Israel and Judah were fulfilled, and now under Ezra and Nehemiah the predictions concerning the return from captivity are to be fulfilled, God controlling the hearts of kings to bring it about. Just as surely shall all predictions concerning a still future restoration be fulfilled, and they shall then be plucked up no more nor see evil any more. (Amos ix, 15; Zeph. iii, 15; Isa. xxx, 10). The Lord shall be their everlasting light, and the days of their mourning shall be ended (Isa. ix, 20).

He is quite able to accomplish all that He has purposed, and it is our privilege to walk with Him and see Him do it. If we are abiding in Him He may use us, but He will work out His eternal purpose, and He cannot fail nor be discouraged (Eph. iii, 11; Isa. xlii, 4). He may use a Cyrus or Darius, an Ezra or a Nehemiah, but He is ever saying, "I will work, and who shall hinder it?" (Isa. xliii, 13).

Cyrus is one of the seven men mentioned by name before they were born. Isaiah speaks of him as God's chosen one over 150 years before he came on earth (Isa. xliv, 28; xlvi, 17), just as Josiah was mentioned by name and some things that he would do about 300 years before he was born (I Kings xii,

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ANY person who is the sole head of a family, or any male over 18 years old may homestead a quarter section of available Dominion land in Manitoba, Saskatchewan or Alberta. The applicant must appear in person at the Dominion Land Agency or Sub-Agency for the district. Entry by proxy may be made at any agency, on certain conditions, by father, mother, son, daughter, brother or sister of intending homesteader.

Duties—Six months residence upon and cultivation of land in each of three years. A homesteader may live within the limits of his homestead, or of at least 40 acres soley owned and occupied by him or by his father, mother, son, daughter, brother or sister.

In certain districts a homesteader in good standing may pre-empt a quarter section alongside his homestead. Price \$3.00 per acre.

Duties—Must reside upon the homestead or pre-emption six months in each of six years from date of homestead entry (including the time required to earn home homestead patent) and cultivate fifty acres extra.

A homesteader who has exhausted his homestead right and has not obtained a pre-emption may apply for a purchased homestead in certain districts. Price \$3.00 per acre. Duties—Must reside six months in each of three years, cultivate 50 acres and erect a house worth \$300.

W. W. TORY

Deputy Minister of the Interior  
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**Our Invoice**

The News editor has kept track of his profit and loss during the year, and we give an invoice of our business at the end of twelve months of ups and downs:

Been broke 361 times.  
Had money 4 times.  
Told lies, 1,728 times.  
Told the truth 1 time.  
Missed prayer meeting 52 times.  
Been roasted 431 times.  
Roasted others 52 times.  
Washed office towel 3 times.

Missed meal 0.  
Mistaken for preacher 11 times.  
Mistaken for capitalist 0.  
Found money 0.  
Took bath 6 times.

Delinquents who paid 28.  
Those who did not pay 136.  
Paid in conscience 0.  
Got whipped 0.

Whipped others 23 times.  
Cash on hand at beginning \$1.47.  
Cash on hand at ending 15 cents.

After reading this balance sheet we feel sure that all our readers who have not as yet paid up their subscriptions will call in and do so. By a few subscribers paying up their back subscriptions we might be able to show a larger balance sheet at the end of a year's business.

**Vote to be Taken  
November 30th**

Thursday, Nov 30th, has been fixed by the provincial government as the date for taking the vote on local option in license districts Nos 2 and 3.

This announcement was made Monday at Edmonton. The decision to take the plebiscite on the liquor question was reached as the result of the conference held last night between Premier Sifton and representatives of the Licensed Victuallers' association and the Alberta Temperance and Moral Reform League.

A W Ibbotson has been appointed returning officer for district No 2, and J A A Atkins returning officer for District No 3.

The two license districts in which the vote on local option is to be taken include the larger part of several provincial electoral constituencies—Didsbury, Red Deer, Lacombe, Wetaskiwin, Vermillion, Victoria and Stoney Plain, in which are located nearly all the large towns outside of Edmonton and Strathcona, in Central Alberta.

Over 500 Pools

The numbers of the polls will be the same as in the Dominion election in these districts, a total of between four and five hundred.

The number of licences, hotel and wholesale, in the two districts is 81 at present.

If three-fifths of the total vote polled is registered in favor of local option, every liquor store and bar in the district so voting will be closed, the closing to take effect next summer at the time, probably in May, when the licence boards sit to consider renewal of licences.

The fate of each district will be decided separately, according to the vote polled.

Fat for the Newspapers

In compliance with the terms of the local option act framed to suit conditions years ago, a proclamation advertising the vote must be printed in every paper in the two districts, about fifty in number, and the date of voting must be advertised in every issue of every paper for three weeks before the poll is taken.

Returning officers are required to appoint all deputy returning officers inside of ten days, and as there will be nearly five hundred deputies required, they have their work cut out for them.

Both sides have been carrying on a preliminary campaign for some time, and are thoroughly well organized.

The Licensed Victuallers' association, according to their announcement made a few months ago, have a fund of \$100,000 with which to fight local option.



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**Synopsis of Coal Mining Regulations**

COAL mining rights of the Dominion in Manitoba and Saskatchewan and Alberta, the Yukon Territory, the North-West Territories and British Columbia may be leased for a term of twenty-one years at an annual rental of \$1 an acre. Not more than 2560 acres will be leased to one applicant.

Application for a lease must be made to the Agent or Sub-Agent in the district in which the rights are applied for or are situated.

In surveyed territory the land must be described by sections, or legal sub-divisions of sections and in unsurveyed territory the tract applied for shall be staked out.

Each application must be accompanied by a fee of \$5 which will be refunded if the rights applied for are not suitable for coal or shale. A royalty shall be paid on the merchantable coal out of the mine at the rate of five cents per ton.

The person operating the mines shall furnish the Agent with sworn returns, monthly, accounting for the full quantity of merchantable coal mine and pay the royalty thereon. If the mining rights are not being operated, such returns shall be made at least once a year.

The lease will include the coal mining rights only but the lessee may be permitted to purchase whatever available surface rights may be considered necessary for the working of the mine at the rate of \$10.00 an acre.

The Minister may reserve for an applicant the coal mining rights under 2,560 acres of contiguous land for two years. Applications for such rights may be made to the Agent or Sub-Agent. An expenditure at the rate of \$1 an acre per annum, in prospecting by recognized methods, must be incurred.

For full information application should be made to the Secretary of the Department of the Interior, Ottawa, or to any Agent or Sub-Agent of Dominion Lands.

W. W. CORY  
Deputy Minister of the Interior

**Our Scholar's Essays**

As it has ever been the aim of the Bowden News to assist anything of an educational nature—especially literature—in Bowden and district we have made arrangements with the Principal of the Public School to publish week by week two or three essays written by his pupils.

We have read with great interest many of the school compositions and have been much impressed with the acute observation and reflection of the pupils. They appear to write with great facility of

expression and aesthetic taste involving a high sense of form, feeling, proportion, and beauty.

Their range of subjects is varied and extensive—materials offered by their own lives; home scenes and experiences; daily panorama of nature; the spectacle of human life on farm and village; fables, myths, traditions and great deeds of history—the lasting memorials of all human life.

The weekly essays will be inserted along with the writer's name.—Editor.

**A Bright Day**

As Seen From the School

**A Dull Day**

As Seen From the School

By Harvey Walton

It is a glorious morning. The sun is shining in all its glory. The air is clear and bracing. The scene is quiet and peaceful.

You can see the farmers working in the fields. Occasionally a shout from the drivers is heard as they urge on the horses who are struggling beneath their heavy loads of grain.

In the foreground the prairie stretches its face like a pretty velvet carpet towards the ridges. It is dotted here and there with pretty, clean-looking farm houses which look very picturesque. They are nestling among the tall poplars. Near the middle of the prairie is a magnificent sheet of water on which the sun's rays are joyously dancing like fairies playing. The ridge is covered with trees dressed in their winter clothes.

The background is a most lovely sight. The mountains have white hoods. They stand like mighty giants placed to guard over the vast prairies below. They merge into a beautiful turquoise stretch of sky, which might be thought to be Heaven's gate.

The joining of hands of the sky and earth suggest the sweet bond of universal love.

By Brine Howard

The morning is dull but the air is cool and bracing. When one goes out it seems to refreshen them. The sky is overcast and frowns on us as if we were doing some great wrong. The clouds in the north-west look to be made of many pretty hues.

The scene has a dreary aspect and the prairie has lost some of its charm. The farmers at work and the cattle grazing are the only things to break the monotony of the quiet view. The fields are dotted with the shocks of grain. The joyous lake of yesterday looks now as a sheet of lead, sombre, and grey and heavy.

The ridge is forlorn in its ragged brown dress, and the poplars are very sorry that Jack Frost took their beautiful summer clothes for to make a bed for the snow.

The giant mountains look very stern as they stand out like sentinels guarding the prairies below. The tops of the mountains are enveloped in a blue haze.

Above the mountains is a beautiful turquoise sky which might be thought to be the Gateway of Heaven. The mountains seem to merge into the sky as if linked into the bond of everlasting friendship and brotherhood.

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Mr Sam Minsen sold his farm 7 miles southeast of Olds on the 13th to Kenneth Durant of Walla Walla, Wash. Mr Durant takes possession at once.

Mrs A M Silverthorn and daughters Lily and Ida of Fargo, N.D. returned to Olds Wednesday where they intend to make their home.

Mr and Mrs Nathan Riley and Miss Anna McNab left for Saskatoon on Saturday where they will make their home. We are sorry to lose our friends but our loss is Saskatoon's gain.

Dan Grier and McCabe of Moore's Drug Store drove to Red Deer Tuesday. Mr McCabe will take the train from there for Lacombe and will go as far as Fox Coulee before returning.

Hugh Dunn, ledger keeper in the Canadian Bank of Commerce here left for Edmonton Tuesday where he has a position in the Commerce there. Mr Dunn's many friends wish him every success in his new location.

It seems in the prairie fire case tried at Calgary on the 22nd, O J Fisher vs R Dalgleish whereby Mr Fisher was suing for damages in connection with a fire that burnt several stacks of hay etc last fall, the judge dismissed the case with costs. R Brown and A W Hall were witnesses.

Threshing is the order of the day. There are more threshing machines at work in the Olds district than there has ever been before. A couple weeks more good weather and the grain will be mostly in the bin. Reports indicate that there will be some record yields this year.